

Musical Spreadsheets

What type of Music do you like? How does it compare to other kids around the world? Go to the Harcourt website and take this survey - http://www.eduplace.com/cgi-bin/pollerx.cgi?FUNCTION=POLL&POLL_ID=/kids/mw/dp/config/music&GRADE=none

Got Rhythm Survey (Sample questions)

Got rhythm? Take our musical poll and then find out how other kids answered the questions.

What type of music do you listen to most?

- ☐ rock/pop
- ☐ hip-hop
- ☐ country
- ☐ oldies
- ☐ other

When is your favorite time to listen to music?

- ☐ when I'm doing homework
- ☐ when I'm relaxing in my room
- ☐ when I'm with my friends
- ☐ when I'm out walking, running, skating, or riding my bike

Where do you listen to music most often?

- ☐ on the radio
- ☐ on TV
- ☐ on a CD or tape player
- ☐ at concerts

Do you and your family like any of the same kinds of music?

- ☐ yes, lots
- ☐ yes, a little bit
- ☐ no!

After students take the survey they will receive their results. Have the students create an Excel Spreadsheet that graphs the results. Give explicit instructions on how to organize, format, edit and create a graph. Have them write a paragraph comparing the data.

Type of Music	World	Class					
Rock	28%	27.78%					
Hip-Hop	44%	44.44%					
Country	11%	11.11%					
Oldies	30%	11.11%					
Other	14%	5.56%					
Total							

